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09/966,884	09/28/2001	Anthony J. Baerlocher	0112300-482	5171

TITLE OF INVENTION: GAMING DEVICE HAVING AN IMPROVED OFFER/ACCEPTANCE BONUS SCHEME

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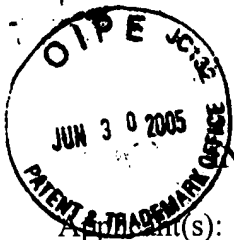
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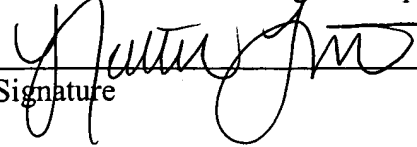
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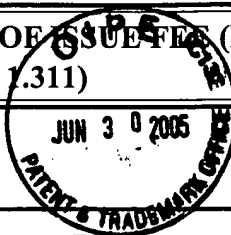
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